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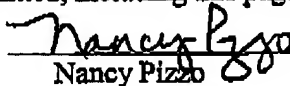
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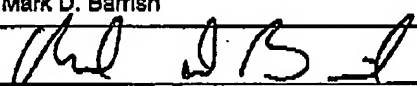
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION
REQUIREMENT AND
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mailstop: Amendment
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on June 29, 2005, Applicant elect to prosecute claims 1-10, 15-23, and 27-30, drawn to a method and apparatus for measuring the thickness of and treating a tissue. Applicants elect to prosecute these claims without traverse.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.